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GA PLENARY -- CYPRUS, COMMITTEE 5 RECOMMENDATIONS,
DECOLONIZATION

ASSEMBLY NOVEMBER 20 ADOPTED DRAFT RESOLUTION (L.775 AND ADD.1)
ON THE CYPRUS QUESTION BY A VOTE OF 117-1(TURKEY)-9(US).
THE RESOLUTION ADOPTED DEMANDED THE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN
TROOPS FROM CYPRUS, AND CALLED FOR THE IMMEDIATE RESUMPTION
OF NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO CYPRIOT COMMUNITIES.
A SEPARATE VOTE ON PARAGRAPH 3, WHICH DEMANDED THE IMMEDIATE
WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN FORCES, WAS ALSO ADOPTED,
111-2(SIERRA LEONE, TURKEY)-13(US).

THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS FOR THREE-YEAR TERMS BEGINNING
JAN. 1, 1976 WERE APPROVED WITHOUT OBJECTION: COMMITTEE ON
CONTRIBUTIONS -- CHISTYAKOV (USSR), DAVILA MENDOZA (MEXICO),
TIEN YI-NUNG (CHINA), AND REAPPOINTMENT OF AMJAD ALI (PAKISTAN)
AND ROUGE (FRANCE); UN ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL --USTOR
(HUNGARY) AND REAPPOINTMENT OF FORTEZA (URUGUAY).

IN OTHER ACTION, THE GA WITHOUT OBJECTION RECOMMENDED THAT
ECOSOC TAKE STEPS IN JANUARY TO STRENGTHEN ITS COMMITTEE FOR
PROGRAM AND COORDINATION, AND DECIDED TO CONSIDER IN
ALTERNATE YEARS THE FOUR-YEAR MEDIUM-TERM PLANS FOR UN
ACTIVITIES AND THE TWO-YEAR PROGRAM BUDGET. ALSO WITHOUT
OBJECTION, A DECISION WAS APPROVED
FAVORING PROCEDURES TO PERMIT PROMPT CONSIDERATION OF
REPORTS OF THE JOINT INSPECTION UNIT AND REQUESTING THE
SYG TO GIVE PRIORITY TO IMPLEMENTING JIU RECOMMENDATIONS
APPROVED BY INTERGOVERNMENTAL BODIES. TRIBUTE WAS PAID
TO THE MEMORY OF GENERALISSIMO FRANCO, AND THE GA BEGAN
DEBATE ON IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECOLONIZATION DECLARATION.

--CYPRUS DEBATE--

INTRODUCING THE NON-ALIGNED DRAFT (L.755 AND ADD.1), JAIPAL
(INDIA) SAID THE EFFORTS OF THE NON-ALIGNED GROUP OF FIVE
TO EVOLVE A CONSENSUS RESOLUTION HAD FAILED, BUT THAT
THE PRESENT DRAFT WAS TRUE TO THE LETTER AND SPIRIT OF
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LAST YEAR'S CONSENSUS. HE ALSO HOPED THAT THE SPONSORS
OF THE OTHER TWO RESOLUTIONS WOULD FIND IT POSSIBLE NOT
TO PRESS THEM TO A VOTE. BAROODY (SAUDI ARABIA) INTRODUCED
AN AMENDED VERSION OF THE DRAFT (L.776) WHICH HE HAD
PRESENTED THE PREVIOUS DAY, ADDING THAT HE WOULD CONTINUE
TO INSIST ON AN INVITATION TO DENKTASH. HE ALSO PROPOSED
SEVERAL AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAFT INTRODUCED BY INDIA, ONE
OF WHICH WOULD MAKE THE DEMAND FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN

TROOPS CONTINGENT UPON A MUTUALLY ACCEPTABLE SETTLEMENT
BETWEEN THE TWO CYPRIOT COMMUNITIES.

TEMPLETON (NEW ZEALAND) THEN MOVED UNDER RULE 91 TO GIVE PRIORITY TO THE DRAFT INTRODUCED BY INDIA. FONMIN CHRISTOPHIDES OF CYPRUS SAID HE WOULD REFRAIN FROM PRESSING HIS OWN DRAFT (L.769) TO A VOTE, AND WOULD SUPPORT THE NON-ALIGNED DRAFT INTRODUCED BY INDIA. HE ALSO DECLARED THE SAUDI ARABIAN TEXT TOTALLY UNACCEPTABLE AND CONTRARY TO THE PRINCIPLES OF THE UN CHARTER. TURKMEN (TURKEY) SAID HE WOULD NOT PRESS FOR A VOTE ON HIS OWN DRAFT AT THE PRESENT TIME BUT RESERVED JUDGMENT ON THE NON-ALIGNED DRAFT. DRISS (TUNISIA) SAID HE SUPPORTED THE PROPOSAL TO GIVE PRIORITY TO THE NON-ALIGNED DRAFT AND PROPOSED AN AMENDMENT EXCLUDING UN MILITARY PERSONNEL FROM ITS DEMAND FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN TROOPS FROM CYPRUS. JAIPAL (INDIA) SAID THE CO-SPONSORS OF THE NON-ALIGNED DRAFT FOUND THE SAUDI ARABIAN AMENDMENTS UNACCEPTABLE AND THE TUNISIAN AMENDMENT UNNECESSARY.

BAROODY (SAUDI ARABIA) DEFENDED HIS RESOLUTION AS BOTH PRACTICAL AND REASONABLE, AND SAID HE WISHED TO BECOME A CO-SPONSOR OF THE TUNISIAN AMENDMENT. DRISS (TUNISIA) PRESENTED A NEW VERSION OF HIS AMENDMENT WHICH OMITTED ANY REFERENCE TO UNFICYP, BUT WHICH PROPOSED THAT THE WORDING OF OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH 3 OF THE NON-ALIGNED TEXT BE CHANGED FROM "DEMANDS" TO "URGES" THE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN TROOPS FROM CYPRUS. CHRISTOPHIDES (CYPRUS) SAID THERE WERE VITAL DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TUNISIAN AMENDMENT AND THE NON-ALIGNED PROPOSAL: THE LATTER "DEMANDED" THE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN ARMED FORCES "WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY", WHEREAS THE TUNISIAN DRAFT USED THE WORD "URGES" AND DID NOT SAY "WITHOUT DELAY". GUTIERREZ (BOLIVIA) THEN ASKED UNCLASSIFIED

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FOR A CLOSURE OF DEBATE, AND HIS MOTION WAS ADOPTED BY A VOTE OF 124-0-0.

BEFORE PROCEEDING TO A VOTE ON THE NON-ALIGNED DRAFT, EXPLANATIONS OF VOTE BEFORE THE VOTE WERE MADE BY NACO (ALBANIA), VINCI (ITALY), LAI YA-LI (CHINA), AND TEMPLETON (NEW ZEALAND) WHO INDICATED THEY WOULD VOTE IN FAVOR OF THE DRAFT. TURKMEN (TURKEY) SAID HE WOULD VOTE AGAINST THE DRAFT AND DECLARED THAT, BY REFUSING TO HEAR DENKTASH, THE GREEK CYPRIOTS CUT THE LAST THREAD BINDING THE TWO COMMUNITIES AND DENIED THE RIGHT OF THE TURKISH CYPRIOTS TO BE PART OF THE REPUBLIC. ADJIBADE (DAHOMEY) SAID HE WOULD NOT VOTE ON THE DRAFT BECAUSE HE CONSIDERED IT IMPRACTICAL. BAROODY SAID HE WOULD NOT INSIST ON HIS DRAFT RESOLUTION IF TUNISIA DID NOT PRESS ITS AMENDMENT TO A VOTE, BECAUSE

ITS PURPOSE HAD ALREADY BEEN ACHIEVED. HE ALSO SAID HE HAD PREVAILED UPON MR. DENKTASH TO HAVE HIS STATEMENT READ BY PROXY.

ASSEMBLY THEN VOTED ON OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH 3 OF THE NON-ALIGNED DRAFT WHICH DEMANDED THE WITHDRAWAL WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY OF ALL FOREIGN ARMED FORCES FROM CYPRUS, AND THE CESSATION OF ALL FOREIGN INTERFERENCE IN THE AFFAIRS OF CYPRUS. THE PARAGRAPH WAS APPROVED BY A VOTE OF 111-2(SIERRA LEONE, TURKEY)-13(US).

THE DRAFT RESOLUTION AS A WHOLE WAS THEN ADOPTED BY A VOTE OF 117-1(TURKEY)-9(US, CHILE, GAMBIA, IRAN, ISRAEL, JORDAN, MOROCCO, PAKISTAN, SAUDI ARABIA).

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IN EXPLANATIONS OF VOTES AFTER THE VOTE, SUNDBERG (SWEDEN)
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SAID HE VOTED FOR THE TEXT AND HOPED THAT TURKISH TROOPS
WOULD BE WITHDRAWN. BISHARA (KUWAIT) SAID HE VOTED IN FAVOR
OF THE DRAFT BECAUSE HE SUPPORTED THE PRINCIPLES OF
TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY AND INDEPENDENCE, AND BECAUSE HE
HOPED IT WOULD ENCOURAGE DIALOGUE BETWEEN THE PARTIES.
HARRY (AUSTRALIA) SAID HE VOTED FOR THE DRAFT WHOSE HEART
WAS THE CALL FOR THE RESUMPTION OF TALKS. US (AMB SHERER)
SAID HIS DELEGATION HAD ABSTAINED BECAUSE THE DRAFT WAS NOT
ACCEPTABLE TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED. HE HOPED THE SYG WOULD
ENCOURAGE THEM TO PROCEED WITH THE INTERCOMMUNAL TALKS.
STAVROPOULOS (GREECE) PRAISED THE DRAFT JUST ADOPTED AS ONE
CONTAINING THE NECESSARY INGREDIENTS FOR SOLVING THE CYPRUS
PROBLEM. HE ADDED THAT MR. DENKTASH HAD NOT USED THE
PROPER PROCEDURES IN ASKING TO ADDRESS THE GA.

AKHUND (PAKISTAN) SAID HE HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO SUPPORT THE
DRAFT RESOLUTION BECAUSE IT FAILED TO BRIDGE THE GAP BETWEEN
THE TWO PARTIES. HE ALSO EXPRESSED REGRET THAT PROCEDURAL
QUIBBLES HAD PREVENTED MR. DENKTASH FROM BEING HEARD.
CHRISTOPHIDES (CYPRUS) SAID THE STATEMENT BY THE REPRESENTATIVE
OF TURKEY WAS AN ATTEMPT AT BLACKMAIL TO WHICH HE WOULD NOT
REPLY. HE ALSO HOPED THAT TURKEY WOULD IMPLEMENT THE
RESOLUTION BY REMOVING ITS TROOPS FROM CYPRUS WITHOUT DELAY,
CEASE TRYING TO CHANGE THE DEMOGRAPHIC STRUCTURE OF THE
ISLAND, AND ENTER INTO CONSTRUCTIVE NEGOTIATIONS. SIBAHI
(SYRIA) SAID HE VOTED IN FAVOR OF THE DRAFT AND ATTACHED
PARTICULAR IMPORTANCE TO ITS CALL FOR RESPECTING THE
TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY, INDEPENDENCE AND NON-ALIGNMENT OF
CYPRUS. (REPEATED INFO ATHENS, ANKARA, NICOSIA, LONDON)

--DECOLONIZATION DECLARATION--

COMMITTEE OF 24 RAPPORTEUR LASSE (TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO)
INTRODUCED THE COMMITTEE'S REPORT. COMMITTEE OF 24 CHAIRMAN

SALIM (TANZANIA) SAID IT WAS IMPERATIVE TO INTENSIFY THE UN'S SUPPORT FOR THE OPPRESSED ZIMBABWEANS, AND, IN EMPHASIZING IMPORTANCE OF VISITING MISSIONS, NOTED THE POSITIVE RESULTS ACHIEVED BY THE VISITING MISSION TO WESTERN SAHARA.

SALIM AND LASSE BOTH CONSIDERED THE GA SHOULD TAKE STEPS TO ENABLE THE PEOPLE OF WESTERN SAHARA TO DECIDE THEIR OWN FUTURE. SALIM REGRETTED WHOLESALE VIOLATIONS OF SC

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SANCTIONS AGAINST RHODESIA BY A NUMBER OF STATES, INCLUDING ONE PERMANENT MEMBER OF THE SC. RAMPHUL (MAURITIUS) SUPPORTED CALLS FOR PRIORITY SC CONSIDERATION OF THE QUESTIONS OF NAMIBIA AND ZIMBABWE, AND HOPED THE MEMBERS CASTING THE TRIPLE VETO WOULD RECONSIDER THEIR ATTITUDE. KOLOS (CYELORUSSIA) DECLARED THAT THE UN SHOULD MOVE AGAINST MONOPOLY CAPITALISM, WHICH SOUGHT TO PREVENT THE LIQUIDATION OF COLONIALISM. HE ALSO CHARGED THAT REACTIONARY FORCES WERE HINDERING DECOLONIZATION IN ANGOLA, SENDING HIRELINGS TO FIGHT AGAINST THE ANGOLAN PEOPLE.

COMMITTEE 1 -- DISARMAMENT

COMMITTEE HEARD VIEWS OF 11 MORE DELEGATIONS NOV. 20 AND IS SCHEDULED TO COMPLETE DEBATE ON THE 19 DISARMAMENT ITEMS NOV. 21. IT WAS DECIDED THAT, "AS A RULE," ALL DRAFT RESOLUTIONS ON DISARMAMENT SHOULD BE SUBMITTED BY 1:00 P.M., NOV. 26.

ISRAEL (ERELL) AGREED WITH THE SWEDISH REPRESENTATIVE THAT INFORMATION ON DISARMAMENT MUST BE SPREAD AS WIDELY AS POSSIBLE, SAID ISRAEL WAS READY TO PARTICIPATE WITH ITS NEIGHBORS IN DISARMAMENT NEGOTIATIONS, AND WOULD WEIGH CAREFULLY EVERY PROPOSAL BEFORE THE COMMITTEE AND SUPPORT ALL WHICH WERE SINCERE AND LIKELY TO PRODUCE BENEFICIAL RESULTS. ERELL SAID HE CALL FOR THE DEMISE OF A STATE WAS INCOMPATIBLE WITH PEACE AND SECURITY.

IRELAND (KENNEDY) DOUBTED WHETHER THE POTENTIAL BENEFITS OF PEACEFUL NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS (PNE'S) OUTWEIGHTED THE POSSIBLE DANGERS OF THEIR USE. THE SOVIET DRAFT (L. 707) WAS DEFECTIVE IN THAT THERE WAS NO QUESTION OF VERIFICATION PROVISIONS WHICH WOULD MEET THE REAL NEED FOR WIDESPREAD CONFIDENCE THAT THE TEST BAN WAS BEING RESPECTED, AND IT DID NOT DEAL ADQUATELY WITH PNE'S. IRELAND WELCOMED THE MANNER IN WHICH THE PROPOSAL FOR SOUTH PACIFIC NFZ WAS MADE AND WOULD SUPPORT THE RESOLUTION, AND HOPED CCD EXPERTS COULD STUDY THE SOVIET PROPOSAL ON WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTIONS. KENNEDY EXPRESSED CONCERN ABOUT THE SECURITY OF SMALL COUNTRIES AND SAID EACH NEW QUALITATIVE DEVELOPMENT INCREASED THE RISK THAT THE USE OF NUCLEAR FORCE MIGHT BECOME AN ALTERNATIVE TO POLITICAL ACCOMMODATION

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AND COMPROMISE.

MOROCCO (SKALLI) WELCOMED THE CREATION OF NWFZ'S AND ZONES OF PEACE, SAID A GENUINE DISARMAMENT RACE MUST BEGIN WITH THE AIM OF OVERTAKING THE CURRENT ARMS RACE, AND BELIEVED THERE WAS NEED FOR A WDC IF PROGRESS WERE TO BE MADE.

BRAZIL (CORREA DA COSTA) CALLED NPT DISCRIMINATORY; SPOKE OF LACK OF PROGRESS IN DISARMAMENT; DECLARED THAT IT WAS DIFFICULT TO ENVISAGE THE PRESENT MEASURES DEVISED BY THE SUPERPOWERS AS OTHER THAN A CODIFICATION OF THE ARMS RACE IN THEIR OWN INTERESTS; STRESSED THE NEED FOR GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT; AND STATED THAT THE "SUDDEN INTRODUCTION OF THE QUESTION OF THE IMPLICATIONS OF PNE'S IN THE CONTEXT OF THE COMPREHENSIVE TEST BAN IS TOTALLY UNCALLED FOR AS IT PLACES THE CONCLUSION OF THIS IMPORTANT DISARMAMENT STEP ONCE MORE AS DEPENDENT UPON THE SOLUTION OF A TYPICALLY COLLATERAL ISSUE."

GHANA (BOATEN) CALLED THE NPT REVIEW CONFERENCE A DISASTER IN TERMS OF PORTENTS OF THE FUTURE, STRESSED NEED FOR CESSATION OF NUCLEAR TESTING IN ALL ENVIRONMENTS, AND SUPPORTED NFZ'S BUT WITH LEGALLY BINDING OBLIGATIONS ON THE PART OF NUCLEAR-WEAPON POWERS.

MALI (KANTE) SPOKE OF THE VAST SUMS BEING SPENT IN THE ARMS RACE, DECLARED THAT NPT ONLY CREATED A MONOPOLY OF ATOMIC WEAPONS AMONG THE GREAT POWERS, EMPHASIZED THAT ALL GREAT POWERS MUST TAKE THE FIRST STEP TOWARD NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT, AND FAVORED THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NFZ'S. KANTE WAS CRITICAL OF THE MAJOR POWERS' FAILURE TO FULFILL THEIR OBLIGATIONS, SAID MILITARY WEAPONS PROVIDED NO SECURITY, AND SUPPORTED THE SOVIET PROPOSALS ON PROHIBITION OF NUCLEAR-WEAPON TESTS AND ON WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION.

INDONESIA (SANI) SUPPORTED CALL FOR WDC AND SAID ATTENTION MUST BE FOCUSED ON REALIZING THE PRINCIPLES CONTAINED IN THE DECLARATION OF THE INDIAN OCEAN AS A ZONE OF PEACE, SINCE RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AREA ADDED A SENSE OF URGENCY. HE DEPLORED LACK OF PROGRESS IN DISARMAMENT, AND THOUGHT THE SOVIET PROPOSAL ON PROHIBITION OF NUCLEAR UNCLASSIFIED

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WEAPON TESTS MERITED SERIOUS CONSIDERATION.

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MONGOLIA (DUGERSUREN), AFTER USUAL REFERENCES TO DETENTE, CALLED FOR A WDC; REGRETTED ONE POWER OPENLY OPPOSED NPT; WELCOMED THE SOVIET INITIATIVES ON PROHIBITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS; HOPED STEPS WOULD BE TAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THE VLADIVOSTOK ACCORD, AND THOUGHT THE GA SHOULD RECOMMEND CCD REDOUBLE ITS EFFORTS.

EGYPT (AHMED) WAS CRITICAL OF THE CONTINUED ARMS RACE, AND BELIEVED PNE'S SHOULD BE THE SUBJECT OF A NEW REGIME OF ADEQUATE INTERNATIONAL GUARANTEES IF THE PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS WAS TO BE PREVENTED AND THE DEVELOPING STATES WERE NOT TO BE DENIED THE FRUITS OF THE PEACEFUL USES OF NUCLEAR ENERGY. THE IDEA OF NFZ'S MIGHT PROVIDE MEANS WHEREBY NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON POWERS COULD ENSURE A GREATER MEASURE OF SECURITY. AHMED SAID THE NON-NUCLEAR PARTIES TO NPT FELT CHEATED BECAUSE THEY HAD LIVED UP TO THEIR COMMITMENTS, WHILE THE NUCLEAR POWERS HAD NOT DONE SO AND DID NOT INTEND TO DO SO. HE DECLARED THAT "EGYPT IS READY TO RATIFY THE NPT THE MOMENT ISRAEL ACCEDES TO IT AND BECOMES A PARTY THERETO." ISRAEL, HE ADDED, SHOULD AGREE TO PLACE THE DIMONA REACTOR UNDER INTERNATIONAL INSPECTION. HE FAVORED CONVENING A SPECIAL GA ON DISARMAMENT IF WDC PROVED IMPOSSIBLE, AND SUGGESTED INTER ALIA IMMEDIATE FIVE-YEAR MORATORIUM ON UNDERGROUND NUCLEAR TESTS.

BAHRAIN (AL-DOY) REFERRED TO THE ENORMOUS FUNDS SPENT ON ARMAMENTS, FAVORED A SPECIAL GA ON DISARMAMENT AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NA NWFZ IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AND WAS CONVINCED THE INDIAN OCEAN AND ARABIAN GULF SHOULD BE DECLARED ZONES OF PEACE. BAHRAIN SUPPORTED DETENTE ON CONDITION IT WAS NOT AT THE EXPENSE OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES.

ALBANIA (NACO) CHARGED THAT THE SUPERPOWERS WERE ARMING THEMSELVES IN ORDER TO DIVIDE UP THE WORLD BETWEEN THEM; THE MORE THE US AND SOVIET UNION TALKED OF DISARMAMENT, THE MORE THEY WERE INCREASING THEIR ARMS; THE MORE THEY TALKED OF BANNING NUCLEAR WEAPONS, THE MORE THEY WERE IMPROVING THEM. THE TWO SUPERPOWERS HAD BECOME THE GREATEST MERCHANTS OF ARMS IN HISTORY. NACO ACCUSED THE SOVIET UNION OF SABOTAGING THE ARAB EFFORTS IN THE OCTOBER 1973 WAR BY UNCLASSIFIED

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CUTTING OFF THEIR SUPPLY OF ARMS. THE HELSINKI CONFERENCE

WAS INTENDED TO LEGALIZE THE HEGEMONY OF THE TWO SUPERPOWERS ON THAT CONTINENT, HE SAID, WELCOMING CHINA'S SUCCESS IN BREAKING THE NUCLEAR-WEAPONS MONOPOLY.

ISRAEL (ERELL), IN REPLY TO EGYPT, SAID ISRAEL WOULD STUDY THE EGYPTIAN COMMENTS AND WOULD DISREGARD ANY OFFENSIVE TERMS IN IT.

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE -- UNRWA

COMMITTEE NOVEMBER 20 ADOPTED TWO DRAFT RESOLUTIONS ON THE ITEM RELATING TO THE UN RELIEF AND WORKS AGENCY FOR PALESTINE REFUGEES IN THE NEAR EAST (UNRWA), AND RECEIVED TWO OTHER DRAFTS ON THE SAME ITEM. COMMITTEE ADOPTED BY CONSENSUS DRAFT (L.334) WHICH WOULD HAVE THE GA ENDORSE THE EFFORTS OF UNRWA TO PROVIDE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO PERSONS DISPLACED AS A RESULT OF THE JUNE 1967 HOSTILITIES. COMMITTEE ALSO ADOPTED BY A VOTE OF 79-0-2 (ISRAEL, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO) DRAFT (L.335) WHICH WOULD HAVE THE GA CALL ON ALL GOVERNMENTS TO CONTRIBUTE AS GENEROUSLY AS POSSIBLE TO UNRWA. IN ADDITION, JORDAN INTRODUCED A THIRD DRAFT (L.336) WHICH WOULD HAVE THE GA CALL ON ISRAEL TO PERMIT THE RETURN OF DISPLACED PERSONS, DESIST FROM REMOVING REFUGEES IN THE GAZA STRIP, AND CEASE ITS MILITARY ATTACKS AGAINST REFUGEE CAMPS. YUGOSLAVIA INTRODUCED A FOURTH DRAFT (L.337) CALLING FOR THE EXTENSION OF THE MANDATE OF THE GA'S WORKING GROUP ON THE FINANCING OF UNRWA FOR A FURTHER ONE-YEAR PERIOD.

IN STATEMENTS AFTER THE VOTING ON THE TWO DRAFT RESOLUTIONS, THE REPRESENTATIVES OF PHILIPPINES, MAURITANIA, AND GUINEA SAID THEY WOULD HAVE VOTED IN FAVOR OF BOTH DRAFTS IF THEY HAD BEEN PRESENT FOR THE VOTE. IN INTRODUCING DRAFT L.337, YUGOSLAVIA (PETNICKI) SAID THE PRESENT FINANCIAL STRAITS OF UNRWA REQUIRED THAT THE WORKING GROUP CONTINUE ITS WORK FOR ANOTHER YEAR. IN INTRODUCING DRAFT L.336, JORDAN (SHARAF) SAID THE TEXT CONTAINED NO NEW ELEMENTS BECAUSE THE TRAGEDY OF THE DISPLACED PERSONS WAS AN OLD ONE. HE SAID ISRAEL HAD MADE NO ATTEMPT TO FACILITATE THE RETURN OF THE EGYPTIANS, JORDANIANS AND SYRIANS WHO HAD BEEN DISPLACED BY ISRAELI AGGRESSION IN 1967.

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ISRAEL (DORON) SAID THAT THE 1967 CONFLICT HAD BEEN INSTIGATED BY ARAB AGGRESSION AGAINST ISRAEL, AND THAT THE PREVAILING SITUATION DID NOT PERMIT A LARGE-SCALE RETURN OF REFUGEES. HE ADDED THAT THE DRAFT INTRODUCED BY JORDAN WAS UNACCEPTABLE AND MISLEADING BECAUSE IT FALSELY SUGGESTED THAT ISRAEL WAS OBSTRUCTING THE RETURN OF REFUGEES AND TRYING TO CHANGE THE DEMOGRAPHIC STRUCTURE

OF THE OCCUPIED TERRITORIES. JORDAN (SHARAF) REITERATED HIS CHARGE THAT ISRAEL WAS OBSTRUCTING THE RETURN OF REFUGEES AND EVICTING ARABS TO MAKE ROOM FOR ISRAELIS. SAUDI ARABIA (BAROODY) SAID ZIONIST AGGRESSION HAD PROVOKED THE RESORT TO TERRORISM BY FRUSTRATED PALESTINIANS. HE ADDED THAT UNLESS THE ZIONISTS CHANGED THEIR TACTICS, THERE WAS NO FUTURE FOR THEM IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

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COMMITTEE 2 -- ADOPTS FIVE RESOLUTIONS

COMMITTEE NOV. 20 ADOPTED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS WITHOUT VOTE: APPEALING FOR INTENSIFIED ASSISTANCE TO DROUGHT-STRIKEN REGIONS OF ETHIOPIA (L. 1453); EXPRESSING THE HOPE THAT MORE FUNDS WOULD BE GIVEN TO UNITAR (L. 1458); RELATING TO THE UN CONFERENCE ON DESERTIFICATION (L. 1455); RECOMMENDING THE GA REQUEST THE SYG TO SUBMIT PROPOSALS TO ECOSOC WITH A VIEW TO ENABLING THE UN SYSTEM TO DEAL ADEQUATELY WITH ECONOMIC EMERGENCY SITUATIONS AND TO RESPOND MORE EFFECTIVELY TO THE RESULTING IMMEDIATE NEEDS OF THE AFFECTED POPULATIONS IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (L. 1446); AND WELCOMING THE CONVENING BY THE ILO OF A WORLD EMPLOYMENT CONFERENCE IN JUNE, 1976, AND URGING ALL STATES PARTICIPATING IN THE CONFERENCE TO BE REPRESENTED AT THE HIGHEST POSSIBLE LEVEL (L. 1454/REV.1).

THE COMMITTEE SET NOV. 24 AS DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF RESOLUTIONS. (OURTELS 6135, 6137)

A DRAFT RESOLUTION (L. 1466) CALLING FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THE UN UNIVERSITY WAS INTRODUCED BY THE VENEZUELAN REPRESENTATIVE, AFTER RECTOR HESTER URGED INCREASED INTEREST BY MEMBER STATES.

COMMITTEE 3 -- MISSING PERSONS IN CYPRUS

REVISED SIX-POWER DRAFT RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING SYG "EXERT EVERY EFFORT" TO HELP TRACE AND ACCOUNT FOR PERSONS MISSING AS A RESULT OF THE 1974 ARMED CONFLICT IN CYPRUS WAS ADOPTED, 98(US)-1(TURKEY)-21, BY COMMITTEE NOV. 19, AFTER FOUR TURKISH AMENDMENTS WERE REJECTED. COMMITTEE AGREED, 53(US)-8-57, THAT IT HAD ALREADY BEGUN THE PROCESS OF VOTING ON THE DRAFT RESOLUTION NOV. 14 BEFORE IT POSTPONED FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF THE PROPOSAL TO ALLOW DELEGATIONS TO CONSIDER THE TURKISH AMENDMENTS. THE EFFECT OF THIS DECISION WAS TO DISALLOW A TURKISH PROPOSAL MADE NOV. 17 THAT THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TURKISH CYPRIOT COMMUNITY BE INVITED TO ADDRESS THE COMMITTEE. THE DRAFT RESOLUTIONS RELATING TO REFUGEES WERE ADOPTED BY CONSENSUS.

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BEFORE THE VOTING, SOYLEMEZ (TURKEY) PROPOSED A ROLL-CALL VOTE ON THE TURKISH PROPOSAL THAT THE COMMITTEE HEARD DENKTASH; THE CYPRIOT REPRESENTATIVE INSISTED THAT THE VOTING HAD ALREADY BEGUN, AND WAS SUPPORTED BY PANAMA; AND AFTER THE RELEVANT TRANSCRIBED RECORDINGS OF THE NOV. 14 MEETING WERE READ, CHAIRMAN SMID (CZECHOSLOVAKIA) ASKED FOR A VOTE ON WHETHER THE COMMITTEE HAD ACTUALLY STARTED THE PROCESS OF VOTING. FOLLOWING THAT VOTE, THE TURKISH REPRESENTATIVE REGRETTED DENKTASH HAD BEEN DENIED OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK TO THE COMMITTEE AND SAID IT WAS NOW UP TO THE TURKISH CYPRIOTS TO DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT TO GO ALONG WITH THE DRAFT RESOLUTION OR DISOWN IT.

VOTES ON THE TURKISH AMENDMENTS WERE: 1) TO DELETE THE PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH WHICH RECALLS GA RESOLUTION 3212 (XXIX) -- 10-62(US)-47; 2) TO REPLACE THIRD PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH BY ONE EXPRESSING DEEP CONCERN ABOUT THE FATE OF MISSING PERSONS AS A RESULT OF VIOLENCE AND CONFLICT IN CYPRUS -- 20-26(USSR)-73(US); 3) TO REPLACE THE FIRST OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH BY DROPPING REFERENCE TO INVOLVEMENT BY THE SYG AND INSTEAD URGING APPROPRIATE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS LIKE THE ICRC TO CONTINUE THEIR EFFORTS IN TRACING AND ACCOUNTING FOR MISSING PERSONS IN CYPRUS -- 17-33(USSR)-70(US); AND 4) TO DELETE OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH 2 WHICH REQUESTS THE SYG TO PROVIDE THE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION WITH RELEVANT INFORMATION TO IMPLEMENT THE RESOLUTION -- 7-42(USSR)-70(US).

STATEMENTS ON THE DRAFT RESOLUTION ON MISSING PERSONS IN CYPRUS WERE MADE BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF TURKEY AND CYPRUS. FOLLOWING THE VOTE, TURKEY ALSO SPOKE, ALONG WITH THE REPRESENTATIVES OF CHINA, AUSTRALIA, PAKISTAN, MADAGASCAR, CAMEROON, US, EGYPT, CHILE AND IRAN. (SEE ALSO OURTEL 6134 NOTAL)

COMMITTEE 4 -- SMALL TERRITORIES, BELIZE, FRENCH SOMALILAND

COMMITTEE NOV. 20 ADOPTED BY CONSENSUS RESOLUTIONS ON: OFFERS OF STUDY AND TRAINING FACILITIES FOR NSGT'S; BERMUDA, ETC.; TOKELAU ISLANDS; AND DRAFT CONSENSUS ON UNCLASSIFIED

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COCOS ISLANDS.

COMMITTEE ALSO RECEIVED TWO DRAFT RESOLUTIONS ON BELIZE, AND HEARD STATEMENTS ON BELIZE BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF MEXICO, GUYANA, PERU, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, EL SALVADOR, SRI LANKA, YUGOSLAVIA AND GUATAMALA. IN OTHER DEVELOPMENTS, COMMITTEE HEARD STATEMENTS ON FRENCH SOMALILAND BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF SOMALIA AND ITALY, AND RIGHTS OF REPLY BY SOMALIA AND ETHIOPIA.

ONE OF THE DRAFT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED ON SMALLER DEPENDENT TERRITORIES CONCERNED BERMUDA, BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS, CAYMAN ISLANDS, AND TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS (L.1109), AND WOULD HAVE THE GA CALL ON THE UK TO IMPLEMENT THE DECLARATION ON DECOLONIZATION AND SAFEGUARD THE TERRITORIES' RIGHT TO THEIR NATURAL RESOURCES. IN A STATEMENT ON THIS DRAFT RESOLUTION, RICHARDSON (UK) SAID THAT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS REFERRED TO IN THE DRAFT WERE LARGELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR OWN ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, AND THAT THE PEOPLE WHERE THEMSELVES THE FINAL ARBITERS OF THEIR POLITICAL FUTURE.

THE DRAFT RESOLUTION ADOPTED ON THE TOKELAU ISLANDS (L.1112) WOULD HAVE THE GA REAFFIRM THE RIGHT OF THE ISLANDS' PEOPLE TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND WELCOME THE INVITATION BY NEW ZEALAND TO THE COMMITTEE OF 24 TO DISPATCH A VISITING MISSION TO THE TERRITORY. UNDER THE DRAFT CONSENSUS ADOPTED ON THE COCOS ISLANDS (L.1113) THE GA WOULD NOTE WITH INTEREST THE STEPS TAKEN BY AUSTRALIA TO ENABLE THE ISLANDS' PEOPLE TO EXERCISE THEIR RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION. UNDER THE DRAFT RESOLUTION ADOPTED ON OFFERS OF STUDY AND TRAINING FACILITIES (L. 1111) THE GA WOULD THANK COUNTRIES MAKING SUCH OFFERS TO THE INHABITANTS OF DEPENDENT TERRITORIES, AND INVITE ALL COUNTRIES TO EXTEND SIMILAR OFFERS.

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IN OTHER DEVELOPMENTS, COMMITTEE RECEIVED DRAFT RESOLUTIONS DEALING WITH: 1) INFORMATION FROM NSGT'S TRANSMITTED UNDER CHARTER ARTICLE 73E (L.1117); 2) THE SEYCHELLES (L.1114); AND 3) THE SOLOMON ISLANDS (L.1116).

--BELIZE--

IN STATEMENTS ON BELIZE, DIAZ (MEXICO) SAID MEXICO WOULD NOT PRESS TO A VOTE ITS DRAFT RESOLUTION (L.1102/REV.1) DUE TO THE OPPOSITION OF THE PARTIES CONCERNED. HE ALSO SAID HE WOULD REFRAIN FROM VOTING ON THE OTHER DRAFTS ON BELIZE BECAUSE HE HAD TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE ATTITUDE ADOPTED TOWARDS HIS OWN DRAFT. JACKSON (GUYANA), SPEAKING ON BEHALF OF BARBADOS, GRENADA, JAMAICA AND TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO,

SAID THE CARIBBEAN COUNTRIES REGRETTED THAT THE MEXICAN DRAFT HAD NOT MET WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE PARTIES CONCERNED, AND WOULD CONTINUE THEIR SEARCH FOR A JUST SOLUTION. ALZAMORA (PERU) SAID HE WOULD WORK TOWARDS A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT WHICH WOULD NOT INFRINGE ON THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE OF BELIZE TO SELF-DETERMINATION.

ABDULAH (TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO) INTRODUCED A 62-POWER DRAFT RESOLUTION (L.1096) WHICH, HE SAID, ASSERTED THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE OF BELIZE TO SELF-DETERMINATION, AND SOUGHT TO REMOVE THE THREAT TO BELIZE'S INTEGRITY AND SECURITY BY PEACEFUL NEGOTIATIONS. HE ADDED THAT NO CONVINCING ARGUMENT HAD BEEN PRESENTED TO REFUTE THE IDEA THAT BELIZE WAS A DEPENDENT TERRITORY TO WHICH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE DECLARATION ON DECOLONIZATION SHOULD BE APPLIED. IN INTRODUCING ANOTHER DRAFT RESOLUTION (L.1094/REV.1), CERRITOS (EL SALVADOR) SAID HIS DRAFT EMPHASIZED THE PRINCIPLE OF MAINTAINING THE NATIONAL UNITY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF STATES, AND ADVOCATED PEACEFUL NEGOTIATIONS AS THE BEST WAY TO SETTLE THE DISPUTE.

BANDARANAYAKE (SRI LANKA) DECLARED THAT THE GUATEMALAN CLAIM WAS AN ACT OF BELLIGERENCE TOWARDS THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF BELIZE. HE SAID BELIZE HAD NEVER BEEN PART OF GUATEMALA, AND HE COULD NOT CONSIDER THE PROBLEM TO BE A TERRITORIAL DISPUTE BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND GUATEMALA.

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SKINNER KLEE (GUATEMALA) SAID BELIZE HAD BEEN SUBJECT TO DOMINATION BY BOTH SPAIN AND GUATEMALA, AND HE DOUBTED THAT THE UK HAD A VALID CLAIM TO THE TERRITORY. HE ALSO ARGUED THAT ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT CALLING FOR SELF-DETERMINATION WITHOUT RESOLVING GUATEMALA'S CLAIM WOULD TURN BELIZE INTO A BRIDGEHEAD FOR FOREIGN ECONOMIC INTERVENTION IN CENTRAL AMERICA, AND SOW THE SEEDS OF CIVIL WAR. HE ADDED THAT THE CARIBBEAN STATES HAD DEPARTED FROM THE SOLIDARITY OF CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES BUT HE WOULD NOT DISCUSS THE CONSEQUENCES OF THIS ACTION NOW. IN CONCLUDING, HE SAID GUATEMALA WAS PREPARED TO NEGOTIATE, BUT NOT ON THE BASIS OF THE DRAFT SUBMITTED BY TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO. (MEXICAN FOREIGN SECRETARY RABASSA, GUATEMALAN FOREIGN MINISTER MOLINA ORANTES AND BELIZE DEPUTY PREMIER ROGERS WERE PRESENT DURING DISCUSSION OF BELIZE.) (REPEATED INFO CANBERRA, LONDON, WELLINGTON, BELIZE, GUATEMALA CITY, MEXICO CITY)

--FRENCH SOMALILAND--

SPEAKING ON FRENCH SOMALILAND, IBRAHIM (ETHIOPIA) SAID HIS COUNTRY HAD NO TERRITORIAL CLAIMS TO THAT

TERRITORY AND EXPRESSED CONCERN THAT SOMALIA INTENDED TO TRY TO DOMINATE THE TERRITORY AND ANNIHILATE THE ISSAS. HE ALSO SAID HE WAS DISAPPOINTED BY THE FAILURE OF FRANCE TO FURNISH INFORMATION ON THE TERRITORY. DAMIS (ITALY) THOUGHT THAT FRANCE WAS DEALING CAREFULLY AND OBJECTIVELY WITH THIS DELICATE MATTER, AND HOPED THE COUNTRIES CONCERNED WOULD MAINTAIN THE PEACE AND SECURITY OF THE AREA. SPEAKING UNDER THE RIGHT OF REPLY, HUSSEIN (SOMALIA) SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HAD RENOUNCED ANY CLAIM TO SOVEREIGNTY OVER FRENCH SOMALILAND AND HAD NO ULTERIOR MOTIVES. IBRAHIM (ETHIOPIA) REPLIED THAT THE FOREIGN MINISTER OF SOMALIA HAD STATED THAT FRANCE WAS OCCUPYING SOMALIA'S TERRITORY. HUSSEIN REPEATED THAT SOMALIA HAD NO CLAIM OF SOVEREIGNTY OVER THE TERRITORY, AND ACCUSED ETHIOPIA OF HOLDING MORE THAN ONE MILLION SOMALIS IN SUBJUGATION.

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COMMITTEE 5 -- CURRENCY INSTABILITY, PENSIONS,
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SALARY SYSTEM, APARTHEID

AT NIGHT MEETING NOV. 19, CUBAN RESOLUTION ON CURRENCY INSTABILITY AND INFLATION (WHICH WOULD HAVE ASSESSED DEVELOPED HOST COUNTRIES 80 PERCENT OF INFLATION AND CURRENCY INSTABILITY COSTS) WAS REJECTED 20-35(US)-33 AFTER LONG AND SOMETIMES ACRIMONIOUS DEBATE. NOV. 20, COMMITTEE TOOK UP UN SALARY SYSTEM, DURING WHICH THE REPORT OF THE INTERNATIONAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION (ICSC) WAS PRESENTED BY ICSC CHAIRMAN. FOLLOWING DEFERRAL OF THE ITEM TO NOV. 24, THE COMMITTEE TOOK UP ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS OF POLICIES OF APARTHEID. AFTER 25 STATEMENTS, 23 IN FAVOR OF SYG'S REQUEST FOR \$283,000 AND AGAINST ACABQ'S CUT OF \$34,000, COMMITTEE APPROVED \$283,000 BY VOTE OF 66-4(US, FRANCE, FRG, UK)-22(SOVIET BLOC AND SOME WEO'S). CHINA ANNOUNCED NON-PARTICIPATION BECAUSE OF OPPOSITION TO WORLD PEACE COUNCIL.

STATEMENTS ON THE UN PENSION SYSTEM WERE MADE BY REPRESENTATIVES OF UK, FRG, SPAIN, PAKISTAN, TURKEY, USSR AND SWEDEN. PROPOSAL TO EXTEND BENEFITS TO 32 YEARS WAS SUPPORTED BY SPAIN, OPPOSED BY USSR, AND DOUBTS WERE EXPRESSED BY FRG, TURKEY, FRANCE, BELGIUM, SOVIET DEL INTRODUCED FORMAL PROPOSAL ON GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF THE PENSION BOARD, AFTER DECLARING THATTHE BOARD CONCEALED OVER-REPRESENTATION OF CERTAIN COUNTRIES AND UNDER-REPRESENTATION OF OTHERS.

IN DISCUSSION OF CUBAN RESOLUTION ON CURRENCY INSTABILITY AND INFLATION, US (STOTTELEYER) SAID THE PROPOSAL WAS AN AFFRONT TO A NUMBER OF DELEGATIONS, INCLUDING THE US; ITS ECONOMIC RATIONALE WAS ERRONEOUS; AND ITS ADOPTION WOULD FURTHER DIMINISH US PUBLIC SUPPORT FOR THE UN AND DRIVE A WEDGE BETWEEN DEVELOPED AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES.

SOVIET DEL ASSERTED THAT THE CUBAN RESOLUTION DID NOT GO FAR ENOUGH, BUT WAS AN ACCEPTABLE COMPROMISE. GREECE APPEALED FOR MODERATION; NEW ZEALAND SAID THE RESOLUTION RISKED JEOPARDIZING NIEO; ALGERIA SAID THE COMMITTEE SHOULD BE CONCERNED ABOUT INFLATION AND NOT IN ADVANCE ABOUT US PUBLIC OR CONGRESSIONAL OPINION. THE CUBAN PROPOSAL WAS OPPOSED BY UPPER VOLTA, AUSTRIA, AUSTRALIA, IVORY COAST, ITALY, DENMARK, NETHERLANDS, COLOMBIA, INDONESIA (CONTRARY TO COLLECTIVE UNCLASSIFIED

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RESPONSIBILITY), AND KENYA, WHILE BULGARIA AND GDR SUPPORTED IT. THE UK DEL DIRECTED A SERIES OF BARBS AT THE USSR, STRESSING SOVIET UNWILLINGNESS TO MAKE ITS CURRENCY CONVERTIBLE. ALGERIA SAID THE UK INSULTED USSR. LATER, THE USSR AND UK EXCHANGED SOME MORE CHARGES AND COUNTER-CHARGES ON THE CONVERTIBILITY OF THE RUBLE AND THE STATE OF SOCIALISM AND INFLATION IN THE UK. (OURTELS 6131, 6151)

COMMITTEE 6 -- CHARTER COMMITTEE, STRENGTHENING UN ROLE

DEBATE ON 1) REPORT OF AD HOC COMMITTEE ON UN CHARTER AND ON 2) STRENGTHENING THE ROLE OF THE UN AND DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION AMONG NATIONS CONTINUED NOV. 19 (P.M.) AND 20, WHEN COMMITTEE HEARD 18 MORE SPEAKERS. SUPPORT FOR EXTENDING THE AD HOC COMMITTEE'S MANDATE WAS EXPRESSED BY ECUADOR, MADAGASCAR, SPAIN, SUDAN, GUYANA, CHAD, INDONESIA, KENYA, VENEZUELA, URUGUAY, AND BOTSWANA. CHARTER REVIEW WAS OPPOSED BY CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HUNGARY AND BYELORUSSIA. SWEDEN WAS NOT CONVINCED OF ITS DESIRABILITY, AND UK CONSIDERED IT UNNECESSARY.

INDONESIA FAVERED FRANK DISCUSSIONS EXPLORING AREAS WHICH WERE THE LEAST CONTROVERSIAL AND REACHING AN UNDERSTANDING, IF NOT A CONSENSUS, ON THE WAYS TO MAKE NECESSARY IMPROVEMENTS. URUGUAY BELIEVED UN BODIES DEALING WITH ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHOULD BE RESTRUCTURED. KENYA WOULD SUPPORT REFERRING ITEM ON STRENGTHENING ROLE OF THE UN TO THE AD HOC COMMITTEE FOR CONSIDERATION TOGETHER WITH SIMILAR PROPOSALS. MEXICO'S PROPOSAL TO SET UP TWO SUBCOMMITTEES WAS APPROVED BY MADAGASCAR. UK WELCOMED AUSTRALIA'S EMPHASIS ON PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES. SWEDEN FELT THERE WAS AMPLE ROOM FOR REFORMS WITHIN THE PRESENT FRAMEWORK.

MAURITIUS SUGGESTED ENLARGING SC MEMBERSHIP TO INCLUDE MORE NON-ALIGNED AND DEVELOPING NATIONS, AND THAT THE PRINCIPLE OF UNANIMITY IN THE SC SHOULD MEAN UNANIMITY OF PRESENT FIVE PERMANENT MEMBERS AND OF SEVERAL NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS DESIGNATED FOR SUCH PURPOSE BY THE GA FROM AMONG THE VARIOUS REGIONAL GROUPS. MAURITIUS WAS AMAZED THAT "ONE QUITE SMALL EUROPEAN COUNTRY" HAD NO LESS THAN FOUR REPRESENTATIVES

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SUDAN SPOKE OF ABUSES OF VETO PRIVILEGE AND THOUGHT THE GA RESOLUTIONS SHOULD BE GIVEN MORE WEIGHT IN ORDER TO BALANCE THE SC VETO; ALSO, THE ICJ SHOULD BE GIVEN MORE POWER.

BOTSWANA AND CHAD ALSO SPOKE OF ABUSES OF THE VETO.

QATAR CALLED FOR EFFECTIVE DIPLOMATIC SANCTIONS AGAINST ISRAEL AND SOUTH AFRICA AND ADVOCATED ESTABLISHMENT OF CONTROL SYSTEMS TO SEE THAT RESOLUTIONS WERE IMPLEMENTED. IN BYELORUSSIA'S VIEW, CANCELLATION OF THE PRINCIPLE OF UNANIMITY OF FIVE PERMANENT SC MEMBERS COULD LEAD TO COMPLETE DISORDER. GUAYANA (SANDERS) DID NOT SHARE THE UNEASINESS EXPRESSED BY SOME OVER REVIEW OF THE CHARTER, BELIEVING THAT THE SMALLER STATES, THE MAJORITY IN THE UN, WOULD NOT "CUT THE BOUGH THEY WERE STANDING ON."

MID-TERM REVIEW AND APPRAISAL --

PHILIPPINES REFUSED TO ENTERTAIN ANY CHANGES TO THEIR PRESENT DRAFT RESOLUTION ON FURTHER COMMITMENTS TO TRANSFER RESOURCES, AND PRIVATELY INDICATED TO USDEL THAT THEY WERE UNDER HEAVY PRESSURE FROM FOREIGN MINISTER ROMULO TO GET THE RESOLUTION OFFICIALLY INTRODUCED NOV. 20. THE TEXT NOT ONLY DRAWS ATTENTION TO UNACCEPTABLE FORMULATIONS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF NIEO, BUT CONTAINS STATISTICAL INACCURACIES. USDEL UNDERSTANDS FRG AND UK STRONGLY OPPOSE CERTAIN PARAGRAPHS AND PLAN TO ABSTAIN OR POSSIBLY VOTE NO. (OURTEL 6138)

RHODESIAN SANCTIONS COMMITTEE --

CHAIRMAN SALIM (TANZANIA) SUGGESTED THAT, DUE TO CONFLICT WITH OTHER MEETINGS, THE NOV. 20 MEETING BE POSTPONED, AND MEMBERS AGREED. (OURTEL 6127)

FALKLANDS ISLANDS (MALVINAS) --

UN CIRCULATED THE TEXT OF A LETTER FROM THE ARGENTINE PERMREP TO THE SYG WHICH QUOTES THE TEXT OF AN ARGENTINE FOREIGN MINISTRY PRESS RELEASE OPPOSING THE PROPOSED UK MISSION TO THE MALVINAS AND URGING THE UK TO NEGOTIATE THE DISPUTE CONCERNING SOVEREIGNTY. (OURTEL 6144)

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